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 They use them for shopping, calling, attending the theatre,
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The prize lists for the Fair to
 be held in Lacombe on July 17
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 all desirous of getting a copy
 may obtain same from Alex.
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 larger than ever, there being
 many new classes, and better
 prizes. Make this year's exhibit-
 ion the best yet held, and get
 your entries in now.

SPORTS AT RIMBEY

The Rimbeys sports season will
 be opened on Friday, June 8th,
 as has been announced, and those
 who are interested in our ball
 team and who watched the games
 in the past, will be glad to know
 that Lacombe has promised
 to be with us on this date for
 good. There will be running
 jumping and a horse race. The
 purse is \$50 and this race will
 be well worth seeing, as two of
 the first game if the roads are
 our best known jockeys have en-
 tered. In the evening there will
 be an entertainment, followed by
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 best talent obtainable has been
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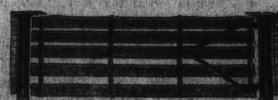
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Price \$7.50

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The New Shapes and
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 Sheer Crepe of finest quality in pretty
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A New Walk-Over in Mahogany Russia
 Calf an English type last, with Binex fibre
 sole and solid rubber heel, an ideal
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 fect comfort. Price \$9.00



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Men can choose from our stock
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 gray worsted, a cloth that not
 only looks well when new but
 retains its good looks till
 worn out. This line is priced
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Women's Sport Skirts

In attractive new styles. All wool mater-
 ials in plaids, stripes and plain shades
 with bright trimmings and large pockets.

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FINE WHITE MADAPOLAM—Very popular for Underwear; a soft, fine weave and exceptionally good value at per yard.....20c.

Read Arnots & Co's Ad. every week. Watch for our Saturday and Monday Grocery Specials. We can save you money on these.

Saturday and Monday Grocery Specials

Shredded Wheat, reg. 15c., Special 2 for 25c.
Grape Nuts, reg. 10c., Special 2 for 15c.
Krinkle Corn Flakes, reg. 10c., Special 2 for 15c.
Purity Rolled Oats, 5 lb. Tubs, reg. 30c., Special 2 for 45c.
Roman Meal, reg. 30c., Special 2 for 45c.
Post Tover Breakfast Food, reg. 10c. pkg., Special 4 pkgs. 25c.
Wagon's White Meat, in 5 lb. pails, reg. 9c., Extra Special per pail.....10c.
Nabob Tea, 1 lb. pkg., reg. 50c., Special 3 lbs. Quantity Limited.....\$1.25

FLOUR SPECIAL

Flour is again advancing, and you will do well to take advantage of this special price. It won't last long.
King's Quality, 98 lb. Sack.....\$0.50
Castle Flour, 98 lb. Sack.....0.26
Strong Bakers, 98 lb. Sack.....0.50

FRUIT SPECIAL

Orion Sets, reg. 30c., 3 lbs. for.....75c.
Oranges, good size, sweet and juicy, reg. 40c. doz., Special 35c.
Bananas, reg. 50c. doz.,.....40c.
Lemons, reg. 40c. doz.,.....35c.
Rhubarb, Strawberries.

Mens Athletic Underwear
Delpark Union Suits

This is a garment that will keep you cool and comfortable in warm weather. It is made of soft Cotton, finished, of good wearing quality; is made large and roomy; has slanted crotch, knee length, and shoulder straps; Sizes 36 to 42, per suit \$1.25.

Mens Khaki Duck Pants

These are made extra roomy, with double seats and double front and seams are all double sewn; flap pockets, will wash well. Extra Value for per pair \$1.50.

Special Value in Boys' Every Day and Fine Shirts

In many pleasing colors, including Light and Dark Blue, Cream, White and Tan, 60c., and 75c.

Enthusiastic Gilmour Meeting

Mr. Gilmour's meeting on Friday evening last was without a doubt the most successful political meeting ever held in Lacombe. The large theatre was packed from top to bottom, and many eager electors were compelled to stand in the entry and on the sidewalk. It was most enthusiastic throughout, and the speakers were given great ovations during their telling arraignment of the imprudent and wasteful Sifton administration. Mrs. T. F. Roberts took the chair, and in a very capable manner welcomed the large audience, and introduced the speakers.

Mr. Gilmour in a very concise address, told the audience of his difficulties in getting over the constituency in the twenty-three days the Siftonites allowed them before election day. He arraigned the government for springing an election at a moment's notice.

10,000 of our boys were overseas, in an attempt to secure a man, woman and another five years lease of life. He set forth his stand and the stand of the Conservative party on prohibition and women's franchise and contrasted it with the stand taken by the Liberal members. He told of the extravagance of the present government in the way of road making and other public works, and showed how the Conservatives proposed to remedy this state of affairs. Mr. Gilmour received hearty applause, and made a most favorable impression on the electors present.

Mr. Crawford, member for Edmonton, then took the platform, and he certainly opened the eyes of all present with his expose of the criminal wastefulness of the Siftonites. He had his facts right from the records of the government, and stated that one charge he made was untrue he would resign his seat in the house. He exposed the gross mismanagement of the telephone department, and the department of agriculture, and showed how Premier Sifton allowed millions to be wasted among his political friends. His entire speech was an arraignment of the government, and his figures and facts were all taken from the government records, and were beyond dispute. He was cheered to the echo, and from present indications his address has had a good effect upon the independent voter, and assures the conservative candidate of a good majority at the polls on Thursday 7th. The meeting closed with the singing of the national anthem, and hearty cheers for the candidate.

The Bull Sale

Fully four hundred breeders attended the annual auction sale of the Alberta Cattle Breeders' association at Lacombe on Wednesday. This is the ninth sale held at Lacombe by the association, and the largest attendance. Eighty nine pure bred bulls charged hands for \$23,176, an average of \$260.89, nearly one hundred dollars more than the average of last year's sale. Which was \$104 for 119 head.

The Herefords obtained the highest average at the sale, 25

selling for \$7,390, an average of \$295.00. Fred Cowman of Cremona, obtained \$1,910 an average of \$462.20 for four head. He also sold the highest priced Hereford, Bull Boy, 22008, for \$655.

The Shorthorns captured the record of the Lacombe sales. Percy Switzer of Lacombe, sold Villager Perfection, 103203, a two-year-old, for \$825 to G. A. Burns of Hanna, Alta. Mr. Switzer also had the highest average for Shorthorns, selling five for \$1,701, averaging \$340.20. The 51 Shorthorns brought \$12,835, an average of 254.66.

There were only 13 Aberdeen Angus at the sale. These realized \$2,950, average of \$226.92. Last year's three averages were as follows: 85 Shorthorns average \$158.00, 13 Herefords, average \$217.30, 16 Aberdeen Angus, average \$154.37.

The Alberta Cattle Breeders' association has now sold 4,259 bulls for \$992,507.00.

Wittens News

An undisciplined appeal to the editor of our Municipal Chronicle. He had the misfortune to fall over a disabled sewing machine, but luckily received no serious injuries.

Mr. Harold Engstrom has returned from a business trip to Eckville and Rocky Mountain House.

Mr. Jas. Jackman and Mr. Jack Rotherham did a very favorable turn for this community as they repaired the bridge over the Medicine River, west of the store.

From a recent letter received from Pte. Wm. Lee, former storekeeper, we learn he has been sent to France and will soon be in the trenches.

Mr. Gordon Jacob of southern Alberta is spending a few weeks with his parents.

Miss Helen Lockhart our school teacher spent the week end with friends near G. P.

Watch for definite announcement in next week's paper in connection with the Patriotic Dance to be given in this burg.

The conservative meeting which was held Thursday night in the hall, was well attended, considering the short notice and the condition of the roads, speakers were given by several and the meeting closed with the National anthem.

Quite a number of young people from this district are going on having a good time at the dance on the eighth.

Why don't you come to this Literary Club? The subject for debate this week is Resolved that the Telephone would be better than Good roads in Medicine Valley. Mr. Rotherham, now the editor of the Muskeg Chronicle has a very interesting paper. After the meeting an informal dance is held. Come and bring your friends, every Saturday night at 8.30.

The highest average at the sale, 25

association, and a veteran delegate to the Grand Council convention of the western order which opened in the city Friday morning.

Mr. Cox expressed this opinion while replying to addresses of welcome given by Mayor Henry and by J. E. Brown, president of the board of trade, the delegates to the number of about fifty attending in the parlour of the Macdonald hotel at 9.30 in the morning.

Reference to hotel accommodation no doubt arose from the importance which naturally attaches to this after-noon problem from the viewpoint of commercial travellers, the men who are most affected by any lack of adequate hotel facilities. This question will evidently be one of the most important to occupy the attention of the convention which brings representative travellers of the grip from every centre of note in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The travellers as well as others must adapt themselves to new conditions of things, and are here about the city of the majority of the people.

Mr. Cox, the hotel situation will change with the passing of the old order hotel proprietor. The next on the scene will be the hotel keeper who will endeavor to maintain a comfortable and home like place where the whole community may share in its advantages. But this cannot be brought about unless the community spirit is developed so that farmers will not drive into town, unload their family and later through the local hotel, the men who are undoubtedly bringing pins in the business life of small towns and villages.

Of Local Interest

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will hold a tea, sale and sale of baking and sewing in the store recently occupied by D. Cameron, Allan St. on Saturday, June 9th. This will be the last of the season, and a good attendance is requested.

If you want milk delivered daily, see L. Peterka, Lacombe.

For Thursday night, Red Cross night, the Rex has secured another great Bluebird photoplay, "The Sign of the Poppy," featuring that greatest of all screen favorites Hobart Henley, supported by Gertrude Selby. This is a play of the Orient, the scenes having been taken in the Flowery Kingdom, and is a startling production. Mrs. Graham will have charge of the music.

Pumps—We carry a full stock of Meyer's pumps. See us for your wants in this line. Morrison and Johnston, Limited.

The business men of Lacombe have decided to give their employees a weekly half holiday every Wednesday during July and August, commencing July 11th. All stores and places will be closed at one o'clock sharp on that day.

Gates in 14 and 10 feet.

Strong and durable, well built special prices. Morrison & Johnston, Limited.

A reader writes us to know whether the appointment of P. R. Talbot as veterinary inspector is a Provincial or Dominion appointment. This appointment is a Provincial affair, the Dominion government having nothing to do with it.

The Services in St. Cyprrian's Church on Sunday next are as follows: Children's service at 2.30; Evening Prayer 7 o'clock.

Intercession service in St. Cyprrian's Church on Wednesday evening at 7.30 followed by the confirmation class.

The subject of the Sermon by Rev. H. Assier on Sunday evening next will be the hymn "Peace, perfect peace; its story and lessons."

RED CROSS REPORT

Receipts

Distance May 7c. 47

Collections, Etc. 206.25

Expenditures

Supplies for local branch and auxiliaries.....\$135.01

Filing of 12 kit bags.....18.00

Prisoner of war fund.....71.00

Red Cross Supplies Fund.....71.00

Balance on hand.....\$0.06

.....301.67

The following finished work is acknowledged with thanks:

Town of Lacombe, 71 pairs of socks, 35 suits pyjamas, 6 dressing gowns, 12 kit bags, 11 moccasins, bandages, and a parcel of old linen from Mrs. D. Cameron.

Mrs. Langrock, 2 pairs socks and 3 suits pyjamas, 5 dressing gowns.

Meadowbrook, 7 pairs socks and 6 suits pyjamas.

Mountain Grove, 9 pairs socks.

Lochinvar, 5 pairs socks and 8 suits pyjamas.

Milton, 4 pairs socks.

Fairview, 7 pairs socks and 11 day shirts.

The following donations have been received from the Women's Institute, Central 14 pairs socks and 8 suits pyjamas.

Spruceville, 32 pairs socks and 15 suits pyjamas.

Total amount sent to Provincial Depot at Calgary, 200 pairs socks, 99 suits pyjamas, 11 day shirts, 12 dressing gowns, 12 kit bags, 11 moccasins, bandages, lot of old linen.

PREDICT TROUBLE IN PRESENT IRISH SETTLEMENT PLAN

London, June 5.—Many newspapers assert that the Irish settlement convention will not represent in any respectable manner all shades of opinion in Ireland.

Commenting on the conference, the Cork Constitution says: "The Sinn Feiners are not out for any settlement with the British government and under no circumstances will they participate of the conference. What practical effect the constitution will have under these circumstances remains to be seen."

"There is still the same incredible folly over the possibility of arriving at a basis of settlement. The Irish Nationalists are with out unanimity and without leadership. They consist of a number

of warring factions who appear incapable of reconciliation. Were any one section of the Nationalists disposed to make terms with Ulster, they would lack the courage to indulge in compromise, least the opposing Nationalists accuse them of surrendering."

POTATOES

We require potatoes for seed also for domestic use. If you have any, write and let us know the quantity and we will make you an offer on them or if you are convenient to a phone call us up. We will buy the potatoes, and you sacks and pay the local freight from your point, as we make up cars at our warehouse to ship out.

We also want some six-rowed white hullless and leafless barley, timothy seed, spring wheat, rye, if you can supply them write and tell us or phone at once and we will supply sacks and pay freight from your local point.

We can also use a few cars of timothy hay.

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For terms, address Mr. Lacombe, P. O., or call at residence of M. H. McDonald, Lacombe.

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TOWN OF LACOMBE

ASSESSMENT ROLL.....1917

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the town of Lacombe for the year 1917 has been prepared and is now open to inspection at the office of the secretary-treasurer of the town of Lacombe from 10 o'clock in forenoon till 4 o'clock in the afternoon on every day which is not a public holiday except Saturday (and on that day from 10 o'clock in the morning to 12 o'clock noon) and that any ratepayer who objects to the assessment of himself or any other person must within thirty days after the date of this notice lodge his complaint in writing at my office.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1917.

E. J. Jett, Assessor.

per N. E. Carruthers, Secy. Treas.

GIRL WANTED AT ONCE

\$25 per month will be paid for capable girl. Apply by letter or phone to Mrs. O. C. Teare, Lacombe.

BULLS FOR SALE

Two Holstein Bulls, pure bred, one 3 years and one 8 months old for sale cheap. Good ones. Apply John McKibbin, Box 323 Lacombe, Alberta 4 miles north of Edmonton Trail.

FOR SALE

One of the best 100 acre farms in the valley, near Armstrong, B. C., all cleared had seven acres in high cultivation; soil deep black rich clay loam, 25 acres in alfalfa, 40 in timothy and clover, 5 acres bearing orchard; balance ploughed. This land will grow anything that land will grow with large crops. In this section no irrigation is required; the moisture is sufficient. 21 at 1000 ft. house, fully modern without furniture with well 17,720 cdlars (stone and cement) full size, 1000 ft. house, Barn 100x30; silo 42x30; hot house 20x30; wood shop and tool house 10x30. Water piped in all buildings no cost for water. Full equipment of farm machinery. Buildings nearly new will be sold at a bargain. For price and terms, apply J. O. Hall, Armstrong, B. C.

ESTRAY

Two-year-old filly, bright bay, good full neck, foretop cut, narrow white strip in face. Suitable reward for any information as to her whereabouts. Apply P. C. Johnston, R. 2, Lacombe.

The More You Know About Cream Separators

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Just before the war the United States made 100,000 of these, but in Europe they are scarce. Made of the very best Swedish steel. Construction, easy to operate. 12 sizes will suit you.

Come in and see it. If you don't know Cream Separators themselves, bring along a friend who does, and let him tell you what he thinks of the Viking.

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The sick child by forcing him to swallow nauseous medicines. Children dread these remedies, and this leads them to hide the little ailments, serious trouble results. Most of childhood's troubles originate in constipation and disorders of the stomach. To correct these conditions you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Tablets.

One tablet at bedtime will do the work and the next morning, bright and sunny the following morning. The liver is stimulated, the stomach cleansed and the bowels purified—nearly and gently. Little folks appreciate them.

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CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS

Good for children.

2000 bushels good feed oats for sale at 55c per bushel. Apply W. H. Hamilton, phone 1010 Lacombe, or write, Globe Post Office.

Austrian Emperor Has Something to Say About Terms of Peace

Amsterdam, via London, May 31.—In his speech from the throne at the opening of the Reichstag at Vienna today, Emperor Charles said in part:

"Summoned at a fateful time to direct the state, I from the beginning have been conscious of the immense seriousness of the task Providence has laid on my shoulders. I feel, however, within me the will and power loyally to discharge my duties as ruler, following the example of my illustrious predecessor, and to do justice, with God's help, to my sublime office.

"The interests of the state shall no longer be deprived of that effective furtherance which zealous co-operation of a popular assembly, rightly comprehending its powers, judicious and conscientious, can provide. I have summoned you to exercise your constitutional duty.

"In full consciousness of the constitutional duties taken over from my illustrious predecessor and from my own deepest conviction, I declare solemnly to you my unalterable will to exercise my right as ruler at all times in a truly constitutional spirit, and to respect inviolably the liberties according to the fundamental law and to preserve unbridled to the people that share in the formation of the state which the prevailing constitution provides for.

"I trust that recognition of your responsibility for the formation of political conditions and your belief in the happiness of the empire, splendidly strengthened in this terrible war will give you strength, in union with me, speedily to create conditions governing scope to free national and cultural development of equally privileged people.

"From these considerations I decided not to take the oath until a time which is not far distant when the foundation of a new, strong and happy Austria will again for generations to come be firmly consolidated internally and externally.

"We are still in the midst of the mightiest war of all time. Let me, from your midst, with thankful heart, offer my imperial greetings to all the heroes who for nearly three years on our fronts have joyfully discharged the heavy duty, and in whose iron resistance between the Alps and the Adriatic the renewed desperate enemy attacks even now are breaking to pieces.

"Our group of powers did not seek the sanguinary trial of entering this world war. Aye, more than that, it has, from the moment when, thanks to the imperishable achievements of the allied fleets, the honor and existence of our states no longer appeared without ambiguity, made known its readiness for peace, guided by the firm conviction that the true formula of peace can only be found in the mutual recognition that the positions have been gloriously debuffed. The future life of the peoples should, in our view, remain free from animosity and thirst for revenge and for generations there will be no need to employ what may be called the last resources of the State; but this high aim of humanity can only be attainable by such a conclusion to the war as will correspond to that peace formula. Amen.

Fish Cheaper Diet Than Beef or Pork

A lot of people in the west are finding out how to beat the high cost of living, according to G. S. Davidson, chief operator of fisheries for Alberta and Saskatchewan. The secret is to eat fish more or less frequently, and so cut down the meat bill. Mr. Davidson says there is a 75 per cent. increase in the demand for fish throughout the western provinces, and the reason for it, he thinks it simply the desire of the people to reduce their living expenses, the argument that fifteen cent whitefish is better economy than thirty-cent beef appealing to them with considerable force. The growing demand is being met by a corresponding increase in catches and market shipments, so that practically in every part of the prairie country the cooks are able to put on a fish menu at least once or twice a week.

Mr. Davidson is here for the purpose of looking into the local situation as affected by the summer's fishing operations on Lac La Biche and Lesser Slave lakes. His headquarters are at Indian Head, and he has come to Edmonton to confer with the operators and fishermen now doing business in this district. As announced in The Journal a week or two ago, the fishing interests hereabouts have been petitioning for an increase in the limits of the catches, the figures set by the department at the beginning of the season, having been considerably below what they were hoping for. Mr. Davidson will investigate these complaints, and will report to Ottawa as to what he thinks should be done in the matter, probably to the effect that in case of Lac La Biche at least the limit be placed 250,000 pounds of whitefish, and no restriction on the coarser grades. Instead of the present limit of 234,000 pounds of all kinds. He expects to go north in the course of a day or two, but will first meet a number of men interested in the matter while in the city.

The opening up of a larger fishing industry in the west has been a godsend, declared Mr. Davidson to the average class. "With the prices of food stuffs mounting as they are now doing, it has been a means of great relief that abundant supplies of home caught whitefish were obtainable at small cost, and the taste of fish as an occasional diet is evidently growing. More fishermen, too, are at work this year supplying the demand. At Lac La Biche there have been 131 licenses this season, as against 34 last year, and at Lesser Slave lake 240 against 60.

WEDDINGS

JACKSON-PICKETTS
The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bernard, Edmonton, was the scene of a quiet and pretty wedding on Thursday evening, May 24th, when Leila E. youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Picketts, Rimbey, was united in holy matrimony to Harvey W. Jackson, Calgary. Rev. Dr. McQueen officiating. The room was beautifully decorated with ferns,

palms, and pink carnations. The bridal party entered the room to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Henshaw. The bride looked charming in old rose silk, draped with cream georgette crepe and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses and maiden hair fern. The bride was attended by Miss May Jackson, sister of the groom, and looked very pretty in pale blue tulle with nixon ribbon trimming, and carried a basket of roses. The groom was ably supported by E. L. Jackson. After the ceremony and congratulations dinner was served to about twenty guests who were immediate relatives. The dining room was decorated with white and pink carnations and ferns. The bride's travelling suit was navy serge, opening over a blouse of pale pink chiffon. Mrs. Picketts, mother of the bride, wore black silk with white georgette crepe trimmings, and Mrs. Jackson, mother of the groom wore black silk, relieved with heavy cream lace. Mrs. Bernard, hostess wore lavender crepe-de-chene with georgette crepe. Mrs. Jackson wore grey with pink and white trimmings.

The bride and groom received many handsome and costly presents. The young couple left on the 11:55 train for the coast, followed by the best wishes of a host of friends. On their return they will make their home at Strathmore.

SANDERS-MORTENSEN
Married at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. Truckemiller, Blackfalds, on May 25 Rev. Amos, officiating. Miss Jennie Sanders and Mr. William Mortensen. The bride is the daughter of Nels Sanher, farmer and insurance agent at Thorsley, and the groom is a prosperous young farmer of Sanguedo. After a short honeymoon trip, the young couple will make their home on their farm at Sanguedo, Alta.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. F. E. Hoffman of Tees on Tuesday May 29, when his daughter, Hazel M., became the bride of Mr. E. E. Estell of Mirror, the Rev. Bradley, Methodist minister at Clive, performing the ceremony. After partaking of the wedding dinner the happy couple, motored to Mirror where reception was held to which their friends had been invited.

ESTRAY
On the premises of A. A. Henry, 4 miles north of Lacombe, 17-41-20, w4, one dark bay 2-yr old filly, star on forehead, branded OJ on right shoulder. W. R. Winslow, Brand Reader.

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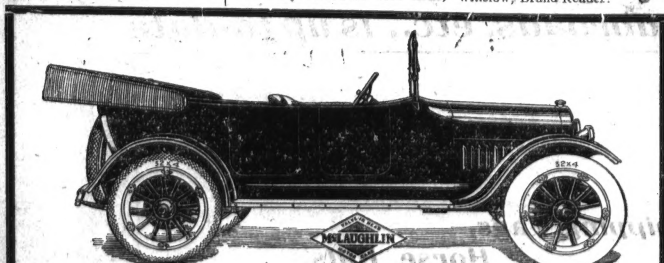
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There would be one great advantage to humanity if German science could induce the German stomach to endure, and German philosophy persuade the German mind to submit to a diet of grass. The Germans would have no time left to do anything else except eat grass. A cow has very little spare time, and a cow can assuredly eat more grass in one hour than any human being could masticate and swallow in three hours. An elephant has more spare time than a cow, but anyone who has seen an elephant at breakfast, will easily recognize that the habit of taking a truss of hay at a mouthful is not one which human beings could hope to cultivate with either safety or success. It was either the March Hare or the Hatter, who recommended a dry biscuit and a bottle of champagne to Alice as a sure alleviation of intense thirst, but as the German difficulty is with hunger and not thirst, the professor cannot quote his authority in support of his idea.

It is very likely, in fact it may be admitted as possible, that a human being might be able to extract sufficient nutriment out of grass to maintain existence, provided he could devote thirty-six hours out of every twenty-four to the business of eating. Clearly the professor should attack first the problem of how to get thirty-six hours into twenty-four. It sounds formidable but it is not any more difficult than some of the other things that have been estimated within the Germanic "will to power."

It is feared that the professor's idea is impracticable and must be abandoned. It is a pity there is something peculiarly alluring about a graminivorous Teutonic race. Consider how placid and peaceful and pleasing is the spectacle of a ruminating cow. Possibly, if the Germans took to grass they would develop the gentler bovine qualities. Even if so high an evolution did not take place, they were halted at the stage of bulls of uncertain temper, an angry bull would be a great improvement on a German as at present constituted.

L. Fry Had a Narrow Escape

Dear Mother and Dad:—

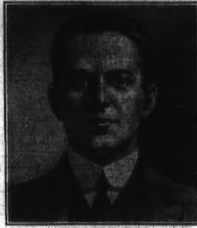
I guess you must have been thinking something had happened to me, as you have not heard from me for quite a while, but I have been up the line for fifteen days, and as the big push was coming off we could not get any letters away. But now, when our part in it is done for a while, and we are back in billets, we can let you know we are O.K. We drove old Fritz off Vimy Ridge, maybe you heard of that important point. We went over the bags Easter Monday, and Fritz beat it—that is what was left of him beat it. Our shell fire was something you cannot imagine, unless you were there to see it. Deep dug outs were blown in, not a piece of ground left untouched by shell fire; shell hole joined up, with shell hole and then with enormous craters.

Next day these holes were all filled in with water, and some of the wounded were drowned. We captured lots of prisoners. Gee, some of them were mean fellows; they snipe at you and kill as many as they can, and when they are going to be captured they throw up their hands and cry "Mercy, Komard." "Old Fritz" appears to be about done, and I think it will not last much longer. The Germans appear to have lost heart and are continually retreating. A little after twelve o'clock April 1st, I was standing in the front line with Jake McDougall, on sentry. We were under a little iron sheeting out of the rain, and had just finished some hot Oxo that had been brought up, when "WHANG" a big high explosive shell hit on the parapet right in front and was completely buried, nothing but my head sticking out. I was not hurt, but it was too close to be comfortable. Jake was slightly wounded in the face, but not very badly. I will write soon.

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Party Warfare Must Cease.

Montreal, May 30.—The Gazette's correspondent at Ottawa reports that it is the belief of most of the members of both parties that the hour's conference between Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the opposition had to do with the proposed reorganization of the government.

"Among the rank and file, of both parties," the correspondent of the Gazette wires, "the opinion is gaining ground that the time has arrived when party warfare must cease. There is before the government of Canada the trying period of the closing of the war and what will require even greater statesmanship, the few years following that time. It is believed here that if party warfare continues with its present bitterness it cannot be confined to the house of commons and must result in a national contest for supremacy between the two parties."

It is certain that there will be at once a reorganization of the government. It was thought until the conference that only one man knew when this would take place and what new men would be brought into the councils of government. But the conference is taken here to indicate that the prime minister has conveyed to Sir Wilfrid Laurier his intentions and come so far as to say he asked his cooperation. A cabinet reorganization will make an election improbable and will give to the conscription measure support that will make opposition to it purely factional.

"All the present ministers deny that they have been asked for their resignation. Yet none of them will deny that the prime minister is engaged in reorganization. Sentiment here is that Sir Robert Borden, if he gives representation to the Liberal wing in his new government, will not select all that representation from the members in parliament. He will probably seek to bring into his government prominent Liberals who are not at present in parliament, but who have national reputation."

Tunnelling Under English Channel

War, that has for long years filled the Englishmen's minds with fear of invasion if a tunnel were to be built under the English channel, strangely enough has painted the very wisdom of the great undertaking. If there had been a tunnel under the English Channel during this war Great Britain would have been relieved of the task of conveying to and from France the transports and hospital ships, which convey men and munitions and wounded and sick to and from the battlefields of France. The Allies could laugh at threatening submarines in those waters. All these things the Englishmen see today, and it is more than likely that one of the first great after the war engineering feats that will be undertaken will be the construction of the English Channel tunnel.

At a recent meeting of the Royal Geographical society in London Sir Francis Fox explained that owing to the necessity of keeping the tunnel well within the thickness of the rock that is characteristic of the southern limits of England, there would be a slight curve. The maximum depth of the water over the Channel would be from 160 to 180 feet and the roof of chalk over the structure had been fixed at the minimum of 100 feet.

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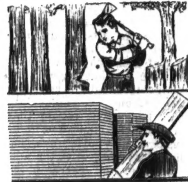
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Few Restrictions in Crossing the Line

The charms of Alberta are not to be resisted even though it is war time, and the number of men still coming to Alberta and passing on to the new north goes to show that immigration from across the line has not yet been interrupted on account of conscription talk or the like. Last week's arrivals in Edmonton hall totalled 112, almost a record for the last year, and among them were many who had the appearance of military desperadoes. They declared they were not trying to evade service in their own country, and there had been no difficulty in entering Canada, as the government had not yet made regulations preventing free passage to bona fide landseekers. Several young men who were coming over merely for the purpose of working in this country during the summer were turned back at the border, however, and would likely have been told before this that their duty was at home.

Immigration agent W. H. Clegg says that there has been no apparent change in the situation, so far as arrivals from the U.S. were concerned, since war was declared there. The only new feature of the American government regulations is that a record is now being kept of all men coming over to the Canadian side, but there is as yet nothing to prevent actual homesteaders from moving across, as before. Whether or not any of the newcomers who had been arriving here of late have made the move for the purpose of evading military service, they do not admit it, and their purpose seems genuine to be one of home-seeking.

On the other hand, a report from Spokane, Ind. is that the American immigration authorities are convinced that a considerable proportion of the men crossing the border are in the slacker class, and a guess is ventured that before long some action will be taken by the government to restrict the movement of those strictly out of the running for military service.

When the American authorities asked for withdrawal of the advertisement of the Canadian provinces in newspapers of the Western states, calling for volunteers farm laborers to come over for the summer, their request was granted, and there has since been nothing of the kind in the way of a publicity campaign in American territory. But the people who want to come over and take up farms in Alberta are still many, and so far there is no law to prevent them coming. Business therefore continues good at the immigration halls, and Peace River and Grand Prairie are filling up. The same report that tells of American slinkies coming to Canada also tells of young Canadians seeking work at various employment offices in the larger cities, the inference being that there has been a movement of slackers from this side, too.

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Each owner has subscribed a sum towards the upkeep of the boulevard for the season.

This boulevard has cost them considerable money and each individual on this street makes its conditions a matter of personal interest.

On Saturday evening the offering at the Rex will be "The Girl and the Cowboy," a new Red Feather production. It is a good one, and will be seen for the first time in Lacombe. Do not miss it.

Rox Films are the best on earth so they say, and one of their very latest film plays will be at the Rex on Monday evening next, "Princess Romanoff," the title, and is a dramatization of Sordani's "Fedor." Nance O'Neill, the peerless queen of story, my passion, is the leading actress, and the scenes are set in Petrograd, Russia, with original scenes from that capital.

Max Fritzell, Somewhere in France, has acknowledged with thanks the patronage of him by the St. John's Ambulance Society. His play, "The Arrived on evening shortly after dark while we were in our little wet home, in the trenches, talking of home and it reminded us of the friends at home were thinking of us as we were of them. This is the message a box from home always brings.

The Summer time on the C.P.R. routes will come into effect on June 24th. Some time ago it was announced that the time would change on June 3rd, and was later contradicted. The time will change at 24:01 o'clock. It is rumored that the C.P.R. will come to using the twelve-hour time system at over their entire route. Several of the new pamphlets issued have been printed on the twelve-hour system.

The Red Cross acknowledges with thanks from Red Cross night at the Rex theatre May 24, 26, 28, and May 31, 30, 50, also from Mr. O. Burrows \$5.00, and Mrs. Geo. McNeil \$1.00.

The St. John's Ambulance will meet at the house of Mrs. Dickson on Tuesday evening, June 12th.

Red Cross Sewers and knitters meet at Mrs. Harrington's next Friday.

J. D. Skinner, the well known arrived in Lacombe on the evening express Tuesday and was hurried to the western part of the constituency by Mr. Fuller. We will not take up past history. James is to well known to need his history raked up. However, what's the use? Mr. Fuller intends getting all the votes he can.

W. S. Money was a Lacombe visitor this week.

Blackbalds will celebrate Dominion day, July 2, as they had weather on Empire Day prevented the carrying out of their sports program. The program for Dominion Day will be larger than ever, and everyone is invited to go down and have a good time. Dance in the evening.

About nine o'clock tomorrow evening we will be able to tell just how good at guessing we are.

See that your name is on the Voters list. You have until midnight tonight, to get it on. If you fail to get your name on, and are entitled to a vote, you may swear your vote in at the poll at which you are entitled to vote. It is safer, however, to have your name on the list.

M. J. McLeod of Edmonton, is working in the western end of this constituency in conjunction with J. D. Skinner. These two candidates have responded to a S.O.S. call from the Liberals of Lacombe, and will probably do the work they are hard to do.

There will be a meeting to consider consolidated School matters, in Fairview Church, on Saturday evening next, 24th inst. A full attendance of ratepayers from surrounding districts is requested. Arrangements have been made to have some of Alberta's educationists address the meeting.

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Bartlett Pears, light syrup	15c.
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Corn Syrup, 4 oz. 12c.	15c.
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Crisco, 14's	45c.
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Corn Syrup, 10 lb. tin	50c.
Corn Syrup, 5 lb. tin	50c.
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Evaporated Peaches, 2 lbs.	25c.
Evaporated Potatoes, 2 lbs.	25c.
Graham Wafers, reg. 15c.	25c.
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G. W. Washing Powder, 3 lbs.	25c.
Gillett's Lys, Two Tins	25c.
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Granulated Wheat, 12 lb. tin	25c.
Gum, Spearmint, Juicy Fruit, and Double Mint, 6 for	25c.
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Strawberries, B. C. Brand, reg. 30c.	25c.
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Tomato Catsup, 2 lb. tin	25c.
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Be sure and attend Mr. Puffer's
meeting tonight. He will prob-
ably enlighten you as to why he
has so many paid officials of the
government working for his elec-
tion in this constituency at the
expense of the people.

He will tell you why he has an
employee of the Attorney-Gener-
al's Department, who is drawing
regular salary in charge of his
committee room.

He will tell you why he has
Mr. Corboraud, of the Wild Land
Department canvassing the district
for him and drawing regular
salary from the government.

He will tell how it happens
that road foreman Hunt can
spend whole weeks rushing from
point to point in the district
with him and promising thou-
sands of miles of roads, while Mr.
Hunt could be better employed
on necessary work for which he
draws a large salary from the
people.

He will tell you how it comes
he makes the government, which
is the people of Alberta, pay an
enormous election expense, at a
time when everyone should prac-
tise economy.

Thousands of dollars are being
squandered by the government in
an attempt to elect Mr. Puffer.
The opposition candidate is pay-
ing his own expenses like any
man should.

Do the electors of Lacombe
think Mr. Puffer is giving them a
square deal in this case.

Mr. Puffer at Bentley made a
kick that a veteran in the Em-
ploy of the Dominion govern-
ment was working for the con-
servatives in the election cam-
paign, and thought it was a

shame. Will Mr. Puffer dare to
deny that employees of the Sil-
ton government, drawing in the
neighborhood of two thousand
dollars a month, are working for
him in this district in this cam-
paign? We do not think he will.
Men who are supposed to be ne-
cessary to carry on the business of
Alberta and who are on the pay-
rolls of the various departments,
are in the Lacombe district by
the dozen. It is one way to
squander the resources of an al-
ready almost bankrupt provin-
ce. This is the fight for life of
the Sifton government, and they
are taking no chances, even tho
the country suffers, and taxation
will have to be increased.

Mr. Puffer asks the Lacombe citi-
zens to vote for him because he
caused the sum of \$28,000 to be
spent on the Gull Lake road on
the eve of an election. This
road is one argument against Mr.
Puffer. True, he secured \$25,000
for this work, and had it spent.
\$20,000 of the sum was wasted
in something worse than graft,
while the road may have been
improved to the extent of \$5,000
which we doubt from the present
condition of that highway. \$25,
000 spent on the eight miles
west of Lacombe should have
given a permanent road. What
have we got now. Take a trip
over it.

A deliberative lie is being cir-
culated to the effect that the West-
ern Globe refused to insert some
Liberal literature, written in Ed-
monton and signed by the La-
combe Liberal Women's Associa-
tion. The Western Globe offered

to publish the article referred to
at its regular advertising rate of
12 cents per line, and we
were not instructed to insert it,
therefore, did not insert it. We
have only one price, and the
price quoted is the price, every-
one else pays for sending notice-

We would ask the parents and
other relatives of our boys at
the front to vote in their stead
tomorrow. The Sifton govern-
ment has sprung this election
while forty thousand of our best
men are fighting for the Empire
in France, and therefore have no
say in the election. This was
Sifton's idea in bringing the
election on a year before he should
have. Sifton has disenfranchised
our soldier boys. Punish him by
voting his corrupt government
out of office. Keep the home
fires burning—vote the way
your boy would vote—for honest
government.

Good government is possible
under two conditions. First
there must be a government with
a policy adapted to the require-
ments of the country. And that
Government must be backed up
by parliamentary supporters who
stand squarely and solidly for
clean, capable and creditable ad-
ministration of public affairs.
The latter condition is just as
necessary as the first. It does
not matter how high the ideals
of Ministers may be nor how pro-
gressive their policy—if they
are not backed by and supported
by men who demand and defend
honorable and competent conduct
of public affairs they cannot pos-
sibly give efficient or even honest
administration. Neither ideals
nor policy are any good unless
they can be carried into effect,
and a Government can only carry
its principles into practice to
the extent to which that is de-
manded and supported by the
members of the legislature upon
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